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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Aaron ABBOTT et al.

ART UNIT: 2152

SERIAL NO.: 09/220,724

EXAMINER: B. Prieto

FILING DATE: December 24, 1998

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FOR:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR HIERARCHICAL SOFTWARE

Technology Center 2100

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a ☐ one ☐ two ☒ three ☐ four ☐ five

☐ second ☐ third ☐ fourth ☐ fifth (a ____-month extension and fee having been filed on _____)

month extension of time be granted to September 12, 2001, for:

☒ filing a response to the Official Action dated: March 12, 2001

☐ responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:

☐ filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due _____ has been timely filed.

☐ responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:

☐ filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due _____ has been filed.

☐ filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:

☐

The required fee of \$890.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 50-1442. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

**AMENDMENT, INCLUDING ATTACHMENT (1)
FEE TRANSMITTAL
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (3 MONTHS)**

Our check in the amount of \$ 890.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary extension of time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to Deposit Account No. 50-1442. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a request is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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1. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

2. ☒ Check enclosed.

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description		Fee Code		Fee (\$)		Fee Paid	
105	130	205	65	Surcharge-late filing fee or oath							
127	50	227	25	Surcharge-late provisional filing fee or cover sheet							
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification							
147	2520	147	2520	Ex parte reexam. fee							
101	710	201	355	Utility filing fee		115	110	215	55	1-mo. ext. of time	
106	320	206	160	Design filing fee		116	390	216	195	2-mo. ext. of time	
107	490	207	245	Plant filing fee		117	890	217	445	3-mo. ext. of time	890.00
108	710	208	355	Reissue filing fee		118	1390	218	695	4-mo. ext. of time	
114	150	214	75	Provisional filing fee		128	1890	228	945	5-mo. ext. of time	
SUBTOTAL (1)					\$0.00	119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

tot. claims			-	20*	=	0	x	\$18	=	0	121	270	221	135	Request for Oral Hearing	
ind. claims			-	3*	=	0	x	\$80	=	0	142	1240	242	620	Utility/Reissue Issue Fee	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Multiple Dependent Claims							\$270	=		143	440	243	220	Design Issue Fee	
Large Entity		Small Entity			Fee Description						144	600	244	300	Plant Issue Fee	
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)							122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner		
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20						126	180	126	180	IDS Submission		
102	80	202	40	Independent claims in excess of 3						581	40	581	40	Assignment		
104	270	204	135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid						179	710	279	355	For Filing RCE		
109	80	209	40	*Reissue independent claims over original patent						169	900	169	900	Expedited Design		
110	18	210	9	*Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent						OTHER (indicate below):						

SUBTOTAL (2) \$0.00

* or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

SUBTOTAL (3) \$890.00

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